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### **Water Line Beak on Corner of Tuscarawas Street and McKinley Avenue**

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Early this morning at approximately 3:00 AM, a 15-inch water pipe burst causing a sizeable crack and sink hole in the intersection of Tuscarawas Street and McKinley Avenue. Within an hour of the initial call, the Canton City Water Department responded to the scene to begin excavation. The 15-inch cracked pipe is made of cast iron and was put in place in 1985.

Fortunately this event has had no effect on water quality or water distribution and availability to Canton residents. The repair is expected to take several weeks to fix. Canton City Street Department is looking into ways to make the reconstruction as fast as possible to minimize traffic problems in and around the intersection.

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